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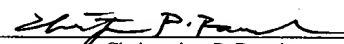
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated August 4, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-8 and 10-21. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b), the fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$500.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required appeal fee to applicants' attorneys' credit card account. Form 2038 is attached for that purpose.

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Final Office Action dated August 4, 2005 for 1 month so that the period for response is extended to December 4, 2005.

A postal money order no. 04808606545 in the amount of \$120.00 is attached to cover the extension fee.

The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-3140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

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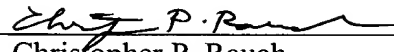
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